



FLAME LIGHTING AND HANDOVER CEREMONIES

Live Feed Technical Details

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1. Technical Details

Events	Olympic Flame Lighting Ceremony	Handover Ceremony
Dates	18 October 2021	19 October 2021
Location	Ancient Olympia, Greece	Athens, Greece
Transmission start/end time (The timings are for the events only and do not include post-unilateral bookings)	08:00 – 09:45 UTC 11:00 – 12:45 Athens time	08:30 – 09:55 UTC 11:30 – 12:55 Athens time
Programme start/end time	08:20 – 09:25 UTC 11:20 – 12:25 Athens time	08:50 – 09:35 UTC 11:50 – 12:35 Athens time
Host Broadcaster/Source	Olympic Channel	
Booking Reference	OF 20211018	OF 20211019
Booking Deadline	Advance booking is required and must take place no less than two hours prior to transmission start time.	
Offer	Free of technical charge. Global distribution via satellite.	
Format and Graphics	HD1080i/50 – 12Mhz Dirty feed with graphics in English and Olympic Rings bug on top left.	
Satellite Distribution	<p>Europe: PAL, KU band, Eutelsat 10A Africa: PAL, KU band, Eutelsat 10A America: NTSC, C band, SES-14 Asia/Oceania: PAL, C band, Asiasat 5</p> <p>Lighting Ceremony: A 30-minute satellite test of the international feed is scheduled on Sunday, 17 October 2021, from 10:30 local time (07:30 UTC) to 11:00 local time (08:00 UTC).</p> <p>Handover Ceremony: A 30-minute Satellite Test of the international feed is scheduled on Monday, 18 October 2021, from 17:00 local time (14:00 UTC) to 17:30 local time (14:30 UTC).</p> <p>The satellite test feeds are available to all takers at no cost.</p>	
Audio	1. Int. Sound L 2. Int. Sound R 3. Language 1 Clean (Greek) 4. Language 2 Clean (English)	5. English PGM L 6. English PGM R 7. PA + Music L 8. PA + Music R
Distribution Contact	OVERON Bookings: otrbookings@overon.es Planning: planning@overon.es Tel: +34 91 837 75 50 MCR: mcrnews@overon.es Tel: +34 91 837 80 66	
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Event Organiser	Hellenic Olympic Committee (HOC) Website: https://hoc.gr/en	



2. Running orders

Subject to change.

2.1. Flame Lighting Ceremony

The duration of the event may vary, depending on the length of the speeches, the event segments and weather conditions (Note: Currently, the weather at Ancient Olympia is rainy and might affect the continuity of the Lighting Ceremony).

RUNNING ORDER – Ancient Olympia – Flame Lighting Ceremony – Monday, 18 October 2021		
LOCAL TIME START	UTC TIME	CONTENT
11:00:00	8:00:00	International pool signal up
11:00:00	8:00:00	Bars and Tone
11:15:00	8:15:00	VENUE WIDE SHOT
11:19:30	8:19:30	<i>Countdown Clock</i>
11:20:00	8:20:00	START International Feed - RUN UP
11:20:00	8:20:00	<i>Opening Animation</i>
11:30:00	8:30:00	START of Ceremony
12:24:36	9:24:36	End of the Ceremony (Departure of the Band and of the Presidential Guard)
12:24:36	9:24:36	RUN OUT
12:25:36	9:25:36	<i>Closing Animation</i>
12:26:16	9:26:16	5" slate & fade to black
12:26:21	9:26:21	VENUE WIDE SHOT
12:27:21	9:27:21	Highlights (VIP, Guests, Delegates - Flags - Ritual of the Lighting Ceremony - Dance Performance by the Priestesses - Handover of the Olympic Flame to the first Torchbearer - Handover of the Olympic Flame to the second Torchbearer)
12:29:51	9:29:51	VENUE WIDE SHOT
12:30:51	9:30:51	BLACK
12:30:51	9:30:51	END International Feed
		<i>Post-unilateral feeds will begin five minutes after the end of the International Signal</i>
		Post-Unilateral (Booked)



2.2. Handover Ceremony

RUNNING ORDER – Athens Panathinaikos Stadium – Handover Ceremony – Tuesday, 19 October 2021

LOCAL TIME START	UTC TIME	CONTENT
11:30:00	08:30:00	International pool signal up
11:30:00	8:30:00	Bars and Tone
11:45:00	8:45:00	VENUE WIDE SHOT
11:49:30	8:49:30	<i>Countdown Clock</i>
11:50:00	8:50:00	START International Feed - RUN UP
11:50:00	8:50:00	<i>Opening Animation</i>
12:00:00	9:00:00	START of Ceremony
12:31:56	9:31:56	End of the Ceremony
12:31:56	9:31:56	RUN OUT
12:34:16	9:34:16	<i>Closing Animation</i>
12:34:56	9:34:56	5" slate & fade to black
12:35:01	9:34:56	VENUE WIDE SHOT
12:36:01	9:36:01	Highlights (VIPs, Guests, Delegates - Flags - Torch Relay inside the stadium – Handover of the Olympic Flame)
12:38:31	9:38:31	VENUE WIDE SHOT
12:39:31	9:39:31	FADE TO BLACK
12:39:36	9:39:31	END International Feed
		<i>Post-unilateral feeds will begin five minutes after the end of the International Signal - TBA</i>
		Post-Unilateral (Booked - TBA)